

Judge Karen Overstreet
Chapter 11
Hearing: April 30, 2010

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE**

In re:	NO. 09-19609
Karl John Reinke,	ORDER ON MOTION FOR INTERIM
Debtor,	FEES DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE

THIS MATTER having come on for hearing upon the application of Richard Llewelyn Jones of Richard Llewelyn Jones, P.S., special counsel herein, for interim fees; and no objection having been filed by the US Trustee or any other party to this action; and the Court being advised in the premises; now, **the court finds as follows:**

1. The application requests reimbursement for fees incurred at \$280 per hour, yet the application to employ Mr. Jones and the contract with the debtor attached to his declaration state that the rate to be charged the debtor is \$275 per hour.
2. The application for fees requests reimbursement for fees incurred prepetition (8.7 hours) yet the application for employment and declaration filed in support did not disclose that applicant was a prepetition creditor and that he had received a \$4,000 retainer.
3. Applicant requests \$720 for 9 hours of "paralegal title research" which should be further explained before it is paid.
4. Applicant seeks reimbursement for fees incurred in connection with filing default motions in adversary proceeding number but these motions were filed incorrectly in the main case and have never been granted by the Court.

For the foregoing reasons, it is hereby ORDERED that the Application is DENIED without prejudice pending Applicant's submission of additional information addressing the Court's concerns.

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DECLARATION OF COUNSEL

RICHARD LLEWELYN JONES, hereby declares as follows:

1. I am the special counsel for the above-named Debtor. I have personal and testimonial knowledge of the facts stated below and am competent to be a witness herein.

2. My Motion for Interim Fees was filed on or about April 1, 2010. Objections to my Motion were due on or before April 23, 2010. I have received no objection by the US Trustee or any other party to this action and do not believe any such objection to my Motion has been filed. Accordingly, I respectfully request the Court enter an Order granting my Motion for Interim Fees.

3. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

DATED this 30th day of April, 2010.

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